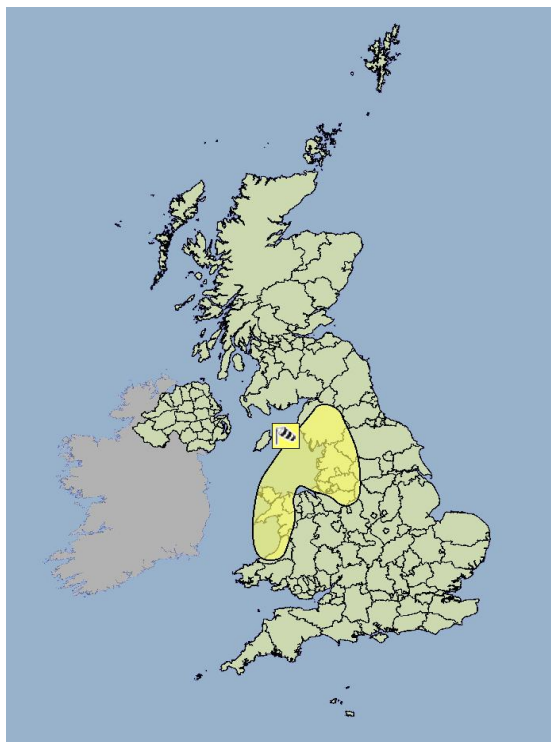




National Severe Weather Warning Service



Chief Forecasters Assessment

Very strong easterly winds will affect high ground in Northern England and Wales, with some powerful gusts also at lower levels to the west of the hills. Gusts of 60-70 mph are possible and locally 80 mph over high ground, which will affect cross Pennine roads and some coastal routes in west and northwest Wales.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Warning of Wind**

Valid from **00:05 on Fri, 02nd Mar 2018** until **12:00 on Fri, 02nd Mar 2018**

Very strong easterly winds are likely overnight and during Friday morning.

Road, rail and air services may be affected, with longer journey times and cancellations possible. Some roads and bridges may close. Power cuts may occur. Some damage to buildings, such as tiles blown from roofs could happen.

For more details please go to:

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